

**Chambers of Senior Judge Edward Leavy**

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**Edward Leavy**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929  
Education: Portland 1950 AB; Notre Dame 1953 LLB  
Began Service: March 23, 1987  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Affiliation:** Judge, United States Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court of Review

**Judicial:** Judge, Lane County District Court (1957-1961); Circuit Judge, Oregon Circuit Court, Second Judicial District (1961-1976); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Oregon (1976-1984); Judge, United States District Court for the District of Oregon (1984-1987)

**Staff**

Career Law Clerk **Kathy Dodds** ..... (503) 833-5353  
Education: Vermont 1975 BA; Oregon 1979 JD  
Career Law Clerk **Nancy Duhnkrack** ..... (503) 833-5352  
Education: Oregon 1982 BA;  
Lewis & Clark 1985 JD  
Secretary **Mary Ellis** ..... (503) 833-5350

**Chambers of Senior Judge Stephen S. Trott**

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**Stephen S. Trott**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1939  
Education: Wesleyan U 1962 BA; Harvard 1965 LLB  
Began Service: April 1988  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Deputy District Attorney, County of Los Angeles, California (1966-1981); United States Attorney, Central District of California, United States Department of Justice (1981-1983); Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, United States Department of Justice (1983-1986); Associate Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1986-1988)

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Greg Adams** ..... (208) 334-1612  
Began Service: 2008  
Law Clerk **Emily McClure** ..... (208) 334-1612  
Began Service: 2008  
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**Chambers of Senior Judge Ferdinand Francis Fernandez**

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**Ferdinand Francis Fernandez**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1937  
Education: USC 1958 BS, 1962 JD; Harvard 1963 LL.M.  
Began Service: 1989  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable William M. Byrne, United States District Court for the Central District of California (1963-1964)

**Chambers of Senior Judge Ferdinand Francis Fernandez continued**

**Judicial:** Judge, California Superior Court, San Bernardino County (1980-1985); Judge, United States District Court for the Central District of California (1985-1989)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Allard, Shelton & O'Connor (1964-1980)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Eastern Bar Association of Los Angeles; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Hispanic National Bar Association; Ninth Circuit District Judges Association

**Chambers of Senior Judge Thomas G. Nelson**

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**Thomas G. Nelson**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1936  
Education: Idaho 1962 LLB  
Began Service: November 2, 1990  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant Attorney General/Chief Deputy Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1963-1965)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Parry, Robertson & Daly (1965-1979); Partner, Nelson, Rosholt, Robertson, Tolman and Tucker (1979-1990)

**Military Service:** Idaho Air National Guard (1962-1965); United States Army Reserve, United States Department of the Army (1965-1968)

**Current Memberships:** Idaho Law Foundation, Inc.; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American Board of Trial Advocates; American College of Trial Lawyers; Idaho State Bar and Idaho Law Foundation, Inc.

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Shyla Freestone** ..... (208) 334-9746  
Education: Idaho  
Law Clerk **Robert Firpo** ..... (208) 334-9746  
Education: Hastings JD  
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**Chambers of Senior Judge A. Wallace Tashima**

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**A. Wallace Tashima**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1934  
Education: UCLA 1958 AB; Harvard 1961 LLB  
Began Service: 1995  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Deputy Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1962-1968)

**Judicial:** District Judge, United States District Court for the Central District of California (1980-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Morrison & Foerster LLP (1977-1980)

**Military Service:** United States Marine Corps (1953-1955)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Los Angeles County Bar Association; State Bar of California

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Bryon Kahr** ..... (626) 229-7373  
Began Service: September 2008  
Term Expires: September 2009

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Law Clerk **Daniel McCarthy** ..... (626) 229-7373  
Began Service: September 2008  
Term Expires: September 2009  
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Term Expires: 2009  
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**United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Ninth Circuit**

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**Number of Judgeships:** 6

**Court Staff**

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Education: Azusa Pacific 1990 BA  
Staff Attorney **Sarah Stevenson** ..... (626) 229-7233  
Education: Wellesley 1998 BA; USC 2001 JD  
Staff Attorney **Mele R. Wood** ..... (626) 229-7231  
Education: Hawaii 1992 BA; UC Davis 1995 JD  
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**Chambers of Chief Judge of the Bankruptcy Appellate Panel Dennis Montali**

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**Dennis Montali**

Chief Judge of the Bankruptcy Appellate Panel

Date of Birth: 1940  
Education: Notre Dame 1961 AB; Boalt Hall 1968 JD  
Began Service: August 17, 2008  
Term Expires: April 30, 2010

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American College of Bankruptcy; San Francisco Bar Association

**Staff**

Career Law Clerk **Peggy E. Brister** ..... (415) 268-2320  
Education: Southern Methodist 1987 JD  
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**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Jim D. Pappas**

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**Jim D. Pappas**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1952  
Education: Idaho 1977 JD

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Idaho

**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Jim D. Pappas continued**

**Current Memberships:** National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Randall L. Dunn**

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**Randall L. Dunn**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: Northwestern 1972 BA; Stanford 1975 JD  
Began Service: 2006

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Oregon

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Oregon State Bar Association; Portland Opera; Washington State Bar Association

**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Meredith A. Jury**

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**Meredith A. Jury**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Colorado 1969 BA; Wisconsin 1971 MA, 1972 MS;  
UCLA 1976 JD  
Began Service: 2007

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of California; Member, Riverside County Bar Association; Member, Federal Bar Association; Member, State Bar of California

**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; Riverside County Bar Association; State Bar of California

**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Bruce A. Markell**

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**Bruce A. Markell**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Pitzer 1977 BA; UC Davis 1980 JD  
Began Service: August 2014

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Bruce A. Markell, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Nevada

**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Eileen W. Hollowell****Eileen W. Hollowell**  
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1945  
Education: Massachusetts BA; Michigan MSW; Arizona 1981 JD  
Began Service: August 17, 2008  
Term Expires: August 2015

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Arizona Women Lawyers Association; National Council of Bankruptcy Judges; Pima County Bar Association; State Bar of Arizona

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Alisa Ingrid Anderson**  
Began Service: 2008  
Education: Oregon 2002 JD